

JOHNSON

Josie Drowne was in Hyde Park Sunday.

Hon. J. L. Pearl was in Hyde Park Thursday.

J. Grover Fletcher was in Burlington Thursday.

Dr. and Mrs. A. A. Minott were in Burlington Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earle Holmes of Fairfield were in town Sunday.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Peter Greenia Saturday.

Mrs. H. W. Peck returned from Rutland Tuesday of last week.

Mrs. E. H. Sweet's father, Albert Walker, died Friday of pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Olin Joslyn of Waitsfield were at H. W. Peck's over Sunday.

Quite a number from here attended the ball game at Burlington Wednesday.

Roger Prentiss was at home from the St. Johnsbury Academy for the week end.

Why hasn't a Clean-Up week been announced by the Community League?

Dr. A. A. Minott has moved from Stowe to the Patten house on Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Heath visited her brother, C. F. Eddy in Hyde Park Sunday.

Paul Woodward and Ellis Parker of U. V. M. came Saturday for a short vacation.

Prin. and Mrs. J. W. Hatch of Montpelier Seminary were in town the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Dykroon and Mrs. Georgia Stearns motored to Danville Thursday.

Adj. Allen Fletcher of Montpelier spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Fletcher.

Walter Davis has purchased the McLennan house at East Johnson and took possession Saturday.

The by-laws of the village of Johnson have been printed in attractive pamphlet form and are being distributed.

The Home Economics class of the High School will give a supper Thursday evening. It will be served in cafeteria style.

Mr. and Mrs. P. S. French, Bradley Thomas, and Mrs. E. E. Hodgkins and daughter, Grace, were in Belvidere Thursday.

H. C. Parker, Mrs. R. C. Christy, Mrs. Geo. Elwood, Mrs. C. J. McQuinn and Mrs. P. B. McDowell motored to Burlington Thursday.

Chas. Stays of Orleans came last Wednesday to see his mother, who is ill with pneumonia at the home of her daughter, Mrs. D. A. Barrows.

"Ouja" will be given Friday evening, May 13th, at the Opera House by the S. of V., Auxiliary. Tickets 25c and 35c and can be obtained at the drug store.

Dr. Tinkham of Burlington was called here Saturday to see Mrs. Stevens who is critically ill with pneumonia at the home of her daughter, Mrs. D. A. Barrows.

Rev. John C. Prince of Arlington, Mass. preached at the Union service held at the Congregational Church Sunday evening. Mr. Prince was formerly a Johnson boy.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McQuinn and Mr. and Mrs. C. J. McQuinn and two sons, motored to Montpelier Sunday where they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earle Welch.

Lawrence Worthley has purchased from Miss Mabel Austin the building occupied by Mr. Bashaw as a harness shop and will conduct a plumbing business and tin shop there.

The funeral of Mrs. Betsey Scribner who died last Monday of heart failure was held last Wednesday at the home of Edward Magoon. The Rev. A. B. Ross officiated and the bearers were Bert Scribner, Delbert Scribner, Leroy Scribner and Edward Magoon. Interment was made in Lamoille View Cemetery.

A petition to oil the streets of the village is being circulated and it is hoped that all will sign it. The clouds of dust constantly in circulation in the air are not only a nuisance but a menace to health. Adjacent towns have tried street sprinkling and found it entirely unsatisfactory. Oiling the streets in the right way is the only solution of the dust problem.

The Poverty Social given by the Ladies' Auxiliary of American Legion was well attended and enjoyed by all. Mrs. Harry Rogers and Percy LeDuke received prizes for costumes. Some of the special features of the evening were "The Kitchen Orchestra," "The Colored Orchestra" and the singing of old songs. Much credit and thanks are due to Mrs. Harold Gonyeau for her efforts and original ideas.

H. C. Parker narrowly escaped being seriously injured Sunday when his car ran over a steep embankment into the river near the power plant at East Johnson. Mr. Parker had presence of mind to keep hold of the steering wheel and was able to stop the car right side up in the stream without any injury to himself and none to the car excepting a sprung axle. This seems remarkable in view of the fact that there is a drop of 10 or 12 feet into the stream at this point. Mr. Parker feels thankful for his miraculous escape from perhaps a fatal accident and says he would not like to try it again.

Notice

A public installation of Johnson Chapter No. 65 O. E. S., will be held at the Masonic Temple May 19th. Each member is expected to invite two guests.

Boys' and Girls' Clubs

Sterling Trust Co., has offered a prize of \$2.00 and \$1.00 to the two highest contestants of each club having a membership of ten or more.

What are the boys and girls of Johnson going to do about it? Besides these prizes there are those connected with the exhibition to be held in town this fall and those offered by the County and State.

No boy or girl can exhibit this fall unless enrollment is made this spring, stating what you intend to do.

Our Poultry Club is already organized. Other clubs will be formed if we can find enough boys and girls interested.

Two of our boys have had prizes in the Poultry Club for two years. Maurice Washer ranked first for two years and Stanley Perkins second, year before last and third, last year.

Let the fathers and mothers get interested and help to train our boys and girls to do things worth while.

Mrs. J. D. PERRINS, Town Club Leader.

Johnson Grange Notes

Members of Johnson Grange take notice. The next few meetings are to be special meetings. May 19 is Ladies' Night with Mrs. O. H. Wilson as Master and Miss Lula Butler as Lecturer. June 2 is to be Past Lecturer's Night with visiting Past Lecturers from other Granges. Gentlemen's Night comes June 16. Officers not announced.

If you do not attend these meetings it will be lost opportunities.

The Sterling Poultry Club

The Sterling Poultry Club will hold its next meeting at the High School building this week Saturday at 3 o'clock. The parents are invited to meet with us. The subjects for discussion are "Care of Chicks" and "Making Hens Lay in Summer." A program for the season will be presented and voted upon. At Roll Call each member is to report the number of chicks he has, or the number of eggs they have produced in the last month per hen, in case that is their project.

Ralph Atwell

Ralph Atwell was born in Johnson, Sept. 24, 1891, the son of Fred and Bertha Atwell. The early part of his life was spent in Eden. Later he went to Barton and then to Wolcott.

He was picked up by the mail train near Hardwick Tuesday morning, April 26 and taken to the Red Cross rooms at Morrisville and lived about two hours. He was married.

The funeral was held in Johnson, from the Cong'l church Thursday, April 28 at 1 o'clock. Rev. Mr. Ross preached the funeral sermon. Burial was at Johnson in the Lamoille View cemetery.

He leaves to mourn his loss his mother, Mrs. C. J. Mudgett, one sister, Bernice Atwell and a half brother Ward Mudgett, also a step-father, C. J. Mudgett, all of Barton.

Resolutions—Ella Waterman

WHEREAS:—God our Father in his infinite wisdom, has called our sister to a higher sphere of life. Therefore be it resolved, that we members of Johnson Grange No. 349, express our sorrow at our loss, in the departure of our sister, Ella Waterman and her influence in the Grange.

RESOLVED:—That in her death the Grange has lost a good member and the family an affectionate wife and mother. To the bereaved family we extend our heartfelt sympathy.

RESOLVED:—That a copy of these resolutions be entered upon our records and the secretary be directed to send a copy to the family of the deceased and to the News & Citizen for publication.

MRS. O. H. WILSON } Committee
MRS. N. J. PERRY } of
O. H. WILSON } Resolutions

Congregational Church

Mothers' Day was fittingly observed by special sermon appropriate choral music and the wearing of the pink and white carnations.

The C. E. meeting under the able direction of M. S. Hill was impressive and helpful.

Rev. John Prince preached at the evening service. It was a rare treat for his old friends and townsfolk to hear his uplifting message and to renew old acquaintance.

The State Conference of the Congregational churches of Vermont convenes this week at Vergennes. Our church will be represented by Miss Janie Holmes, John Hill and the pastor.

Johnson School Notes

Remember the cafeteria supper given by the girls of the Home Economics class at the school house on Thursday evening. Supper from 5:30 to 7.

The report cards were given out Friday. These will be the last before the final reports.

Mr. Hipple, Miss Mitchell and Miss Spaulding of the Cambridge High School were visitors Saturday.

The base ball team won from Fairfax Tuesday by the score of 10 to 4. They played Bakersfield Monday.

The members of the training class returned Monday after spending the past week in observing and practice teaching in rural schools.

The Senior Class took their play to North Hyde Park last Monday evening. All report a splendid time.

STOWE

Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Johnson and family visited friends in Richmond and Jonestown Sunday.

W. T. Burt, who is receiving treatment, at the Mary Fletcher hospital, was at home over Sunday.

A new piano has been purchased for the auditorium and was used for the first time Saturday night.

Mrs. Harold Breen and two sons of Middlesex visited Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Weeks over Saturday night.

Max Straw returned Sunday from Burlington, where he recently had a successful operation for appendicitis.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Jenney, Jr. and Miss Doris Graves of Morrisville visited O. K. Jenney at Burlington Sunday.

Miss Lillie Marshall, who is employed in the State hospital in Waterbury, passed the week end at her home in Moscow.

Mr. and Mrs. James Brownlee visited Mrs. Brownlee's parents, the Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Hayward, over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. George F. Adams and family of Moscow motored to Ludlow Saturday, where they visited Mrs. Adams' brother, Bert Robinson over Sunday.

Mrs. Henry T. Way and child, of Burlington, are visiting Mrs. Way's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Adams for two weeks. Mr. Way, who accompanied them to Stowe Saturday, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Lang, Mrs. Bernice Ayers of Morrisville, Miss Margaret Keefe and Mrs. R. A. Clark visited W. W. Ayers at the Fanny Allen hospital Sunday. Mr. Ayers remains very low.

There was a regular meeting of the H. H. Smith Woman's Relief Corps Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Merrill was initiated into the order. Several important business matters were discussed, including plans for Memorial Day and the department State convention to be held in Montpelier May 17-19.

The regular meeting of the Donald McMahon Post, American Legion, was held at headquarters Thursday evening with a good attendance. Several important matters were discussed and Elwin Smalley was elected sergeant-at-arm, and plans for the observance of Memorial Day were formed. It was voted to buy Legion markers for those who lost their lives in the World War.

Mother's Day was observed at Community Church Sunday morning when the pastor, the Rev. C. E. Hayward, gave an excellent sermon in keeping with the day. Special music by the sextette was an attractive feature of the service. There was an attendance of 142 at Sunday school, not including the adult classes. The house-to-house canvass to secure weekly pledges for the support of the church for the coming year was taken Sunday afternoon.

A family gathering at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Campbell Sunday was in honor of Mr. Campbell's 67th birthday. All the children were present and the party included John Campbell of Bennington, Mr. and Mrs. James B. Campbell of St. Johnsbury; Mr. and Mrs. Ray Baker and family and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Campbell of Morrisville; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Medlar and son of Burlington; Mr. and Mrs. George S. Gale and Miss Vivian Campbell of Stowe.

EDEN

Earl Caswell of St. Albans is a guest of Erma Hines.

Rev. R. S. Cady preached an interesting sermon here Sunday.

Neal Dow of Montgomery visited his brother, Benjamin Dow, Sunday.

Mrs. Fred McGinnis and daughter, Pauline, of North Hyde Park spent the last of the week with her husband at M. S. Tillotson's.

The dance held at the Mt. Norris Hotel Thursday evening was largely attended, about forty couple being present. All remember the coming dance May 19th.

Bernice Whittemore was home from her work in Lowell over Sunday.

Work was begun in the Eden Corners Cemetery Monday. H. W. Hines acting as superintendent.

The Cemetery Association served dinner to about seventy at the Eden Corners Church Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. Roy Leach was called to her home at Francis Gillin in North Hyde Park last week by the illness of one of her brothers, who is ill with pneumonia.

Holstein Men Attention

There will be a meeting of the Holstein breeders of Stowe, Morrisville, Hyde Park and vicinity at the Farm and Bureau Morrisville, Friday evening, May 13th. John Hitchcock, Extension Specialist in Dairy, will address the meeting and if enough men are interested a local breeders association may be started.

There is a big demand for good cows today, but the cows are not to be had, as their places are filled with the other kind. Our present method of haphazard breeding is getting us nowhere. Mr. Hitchcock has a plan to start community breeding that will enable the men with small herds to raise as good cows as the men with the big herds and dispose of them with just as satisfactory a price.

Don't begin now to think up a good excuse for not attending this meeting Friday evening. It may be your business to walk behind the harrow that day, but it is your business also to get together with your neighbors and produce and sell your products to a better advantage. Friday evening at the Farm and Bureau office Morrisville.

WOLCOTT

Henry King and wife was in Montpelier Monday.

Wm. Robbin was home from Morrisville over Sunday.

Tuman Jones has concluded his engagement at Fred Grant's.

G. W. Herring and wife of Montpelier were guests at C. H. Lurney's Sunday.

Mrs. C. W. Davis and children returned to their home in Wiliston the last of the week.

J. Jay Lyon and bride arrived home from their wedding trip the first of the week.

Mrs. F. S. Brigham of Ludlow has been the guest of the doctor here the past week.

Rev. Fred Reynolds left for Keene, N. H. Monday, where he has engaged to preach.

Emmie Boardman and family have been recent guests at Otto Bioggetts in Morrisville.

Mrs. Horace Woodmansee of St. Johnsbury has been a recent guest of Mrs. L. C. Udall.

Miss Lena Robinson was the guest of Mrs. Emily Chapman in Morrisville the last of the week.

Mrs. W. G. Welch who has been passing a few weeks at the home of Randalis, returned to her home in Groton, recently.

Mrs. A. E. Phillips passed away at the Hardwick hospital Sunday of pneumonia. Funeral services were held to-day, Wednesday.

A party composed of C. O. Morse, W. L. Richardson, B. E. Potter, Gordon Bickford and C. M. Wood leave the last of the week for an outing at Seymour Lake.

North Wolcott

Harold Genrous is working for Lincoln Miller.

Mrs. Alice Knight made a short call at home Sunday.

Max Moulton and lady friend visited his parents Sunday.

B. W. Bailey spent from Friday night till Monday in Burlington.

Harold Childs' and Roger Miller visited David Walker Sunday.

Dan Griffiths and family of Craftsbury visited his parents, Sunday.

Theron Miller of Craftsbury visited his brother, Lincoln Miller, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bruce of Hardwick visited at A. L. Bruce's Sunday.

Mrs. Robert Fields visited at Lyman Lanpher's in Eden, over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Andrus visited at Leon Gallop's Sunday in Morrisville.

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Mrs. Alma Burnell has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Will Bailey, in Underhill the past week.

Bernice Childs and gentleman friend visited her grandmother, Mrs. Gene Wheeler, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. David Flanders, of St. Johnsbury visited friends in town Saturday and Sunday.

WATERVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Rogers of Underhill have visited Mr. and Mrs. Joel Boyce.

Mrs. Phillip Constantine of Burlington has been the guest of her son, Henry.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Darrah entertained Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Smith and son, and their daughter, Freda Darrah, of Swanton, over Sunday.

Julia Shattuck passed away Sunday morning and the funeral was held from her late home Tuesday at 12 o'clock, the Rev. A. G. Chandler of Belvidere, officiating assisted by Rev. B. L. Rogers. Interment was at Belvidere Center, in the family lot.

The Cemetery Association met Friday afternoon with Mrs. Pheobe Church and Mrs. F. W. Darrah at the home of Mrs. Darrah. Officers were elected as follows: Pres., Lois Mann; Vice Pres., Ella Jackson; Sec., Margy Langdell; Treas., Sybil Smith. Refreshments of cake, sandwiches and coffee were served.

Union Church

The Tuesday evening prayer meeting was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Shattuck.

The Thursday evening prayer meeting will be held in the church at 7:30 p. m.; please note the change in the hour.

The children's service in the church on Saturday afternoon at three o'clock.

Hyde Park Center

Hyde Park Centre Schoolhouse, Sunday May 15th, at 2:30 p. m. Free Bible Lecture, subject, "Millions now Living Will Never Die." Speaker, A. L. Huntley. Don't miss it. Tell your friends.

Mountains Named for Indian Tribe.

The Appalachian mountain system received its name from the Appalachians or Apalachi Indians. Its highest point is Mount Mitchell, in North Carolina, which is 6,711 feet high.

Heart and Furniture Smasher.

"Jack Huggins was more than half an hour trying to persuade me to name the day." "Did you give way?" "Yes, I was afraid the chair would if I didn't."—Boston Transcript.

GARFIELD

W. H. Jones had the misfortune to lose a valuable horse last week.

C. E. Davis, wife, and two daughters called on friends in Casterville Sunday.

Carroll Jackson of Morrisville was in this place with a meat cart on Monday.

Eisworth Twombly and family of St. Johnsbury were recent guests of Davis Hill.

Mrs. Ella Trescott returned home from Morrisville last week and has been suffering with a very sore hand.

Mrs. P. M. Trescott has returned from the hospital recently and is so as to walk out of doors, for a short distance.

Mrs. L. A. Day's returned home Friday from a three weeks' visit to friends and relatives in Morrisville and vicinity.

Mrs. Trescott's mother, Mrs. Talman, who has been caring for her has gone away and her place is being supplied by Miss Clio Salls.

Chester Holbrook, who has been spending several weeks with relatives in this and adjoining towns, returned to his home in St. Johnsbury last week.

Harold Bedell motored to Barre Sunday to visit relatives. He was accompanied by Harry Bailey and wife who visited at the home of their cousin, Asa Hyland in that place.

Royal Darling, wife and daughter from New Hampshire are stopping at the home of Alton Horner and his mother on their old home farm. Mr. Darling has recently purchased an automobile.

Mrs. Leon Jackson received last week a surprise sunshine box from many friends and neighbors. She was much pleased with the gifts which she greatly enjoyed and she wishes to thank all those who so kindly remembered her.

"As Short as It Is Violent."

"Woman's grief is like a summer storm, short as it is violent." The foregoing quotation is credited to Joanna Baillie, a Scotch dramatist and poet. She wrote "Plays on the Passions," in which she delineates the principal passions of the mind, each passion being made the subject of a tragedy and a comedy. She died in 1851.

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Fertilizing Salt

In order to close out without delay our stock of FERTILIZING SALT, we are reducing the price and on all orders received promptly we will make the price

\$4.50 PER TON!

This price barely covers the cost of bags and labor of putting it up, but we want the room.

Here are a Few Letters From Recent Users:

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"Last spring I used three tons of Salt, putting about 500 lbs. to the acre on grass, potatoes, corn and oats. It fertilizes the land, kills grubs, and helps retain moisture. Had very good results with the chemicals also."

"ARTHUR W. WILLIAMS, Rumney Depot, N. H."

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Had Larger Yield of Oats

"Please send me a Price List of Fertilizing Salt. I bought a ton last year, applied it to my oats, had a large yield and they did not lodge."

"DELBERT G. LAWSON, East Calais, Vt."

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Satisfied With Crop

"I used your Fertilizing Salt on my oats last year, and I will say I am more than satisfied with the crop. The oats are fine and heavy."

"WARREN W. ASH, Sheffield, Vt."

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Better Try a ton or two this Year

If desired will send literature in regard to using it.

We have in stock Nitrate of Soda, Acid Phosphate, Tankage, Bone, Potash; also our two "No-Filler" mixed brands.

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